

Notice of Allowability

Application No.

10/757,756

Examiner

Baoquoc N. To

Applicant(s)

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All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to 05/29/2007.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 16.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
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Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application.
THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.

4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT OF NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
- (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached:
- 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit
of Biological Material
5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6. ☒ Interview Summary (PTO-413),
Paper No./Mail Date 20070609
7. ☐ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☒ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other _____

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DETAILED ACTION

1. Claims 1-21 are pending in this application, claims 1-15 and 17-21 are canceled and claim 16 is amended in the amendment filed on 06/01/2007. Claims 16 is pending in this application.

Allowable Subject Matter

2. Claim 16 is allowed over prior arts that made of record.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

As to claim 16, the examiner agrees with applicant argument in the response pages 6-8 filed on 07/01/2007 and Simonoff and Memhard do not disclose or suggest "forwarding a modification request from the requesting client device to the coupled object server device..., in the event that the requesting client device is not within...; and in the event that the client device is indicated in the list of member client devices..."

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

3. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

Patent and Publication:

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Devarajan et al.	(US. Pub. No. 2004/0153824 A1)	Patent date: 08/05/2004.
Parker et al.	(US. Pub. No. 2005/0010607 A1)	Patent date: 01/13/2005.
Trauring	(US. Patent No. 6,513,033 B1)	Patent date: 01/28/2003.
Bhagavatula et al.	(US. Patent No. 7,140,036 B2)	Patent date: 11/21/2006.
Jensen et al.	(US. Patent No. 6,185,612 B1)	Patent date: 02/06/2001.
Naudus	(US. Patent No. 6,202,081 B1)	Patent date: 05/13/2001.
Estrada et al.	(US. Patent No. 6,772,393 B1)	Patent date: 08/03/2004.
Martino	(US. Patent No. 6,973,477 B1)	Patent date: 12/06/2005.

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Hsu et al. Real-time beam loss monitoring system and its application in SRRC, Particle Accelerator Conference 1997, Vol. 2, page, 2259-2261, 12-16 May 1997.

Trent et al. Requirements of role-based access control for collaborative systems, Proceeding of the first ACM Workshop on Role-based access control, Article-16, 1996.

ACM Transaction on Information and System Security, Secure virtual enclaves: Supporting coalition use of distributed application, Vol. 4, Issue. 2, pages 103-133, May 2001.

Bertino et al. An infrastructure for managing secure update operation on XML data, Symposium on Access Control Models and Technologies, pages 110-122, 2003.

Zhang et al. A usage-based authorization framework for collaborative computing systems, Symposium on Access Control Models and Technologies, pages 180-189, 2006.

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Contact Information

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Baoquoc N. To whose telephone number is at 571-272-4041, or unofficial fax number for the purpose of discussion (571) 273-4041 or via e-mail BaoquocN.To@uspto.gov. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM, EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, John Breene can be reached at 571-272-4107.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 305-3900.

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